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Hongkong, 19th May, 1898. THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGA- ARBOLINEUM-AVENARIUS GATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHAREHOLDERS are hereby informed that at a GENERAL MEETING beld in London recently an INTERIM DIVIDEND of 3 Par CENT. was declared on the COM- Rot and Dampness. PANY'S PREFERENCE SHARES for the six months ending 30th June, this being at the rate

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PERSEVERANCE LODGE

HONGKONG, No. 1,165. REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS! HALL, Zetland Street, TO-MORROW, the 16th

instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting

Brethren are cordially invited to attend. Hongkong, 10th Siptember, 1808

Auctions. M. tructions from the Mortages to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION.

on the premises

TUESDAY, the 20 h September, 1898, ALL THAT valuable leasehold property situate at Victoria Hongkong and registered in the Land Office as SECTION E OF INLAND

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Rept of \$10. Particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained from Mesers. DEACON & HASTINGS.

and from the Auctioneer. Hongkong, 5th September, 1898. BY ORDER OF THE ADMINISTRATOR.

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PUBLIC AUCTION. MR. H. N. MODY has received instruc-

PUBLIC AUCTION, THURSDAY, the 29th September, 1898, on the Premises

THE POLLOWING VERY VALUABLE

LEASEHOLD PROPERTY. situate in Bonham Road. Being ALL THAT PIECE or PARCEL o GROUND structe at Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong and registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 757. The above property, No. 7, Bonbam Road, is, held under a Crown Lease dated the 16th June, 1862, for the residue of a term of 997 years from the 7th January, 1862, subject to an Annual Crown Rent of

\$323.23 ; area, 93,200 square feet. The premises are known as "Nullah Side" and are at present let at a mouthly rental of \$73.45 inclusive of taxes. For Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply

Hongkong, 10th September, 1898.

Messis. DEACON & HASTINGS, Vendor's Solicitors; or to

The Auctioneer.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES LUCIEN PROSSER, LATE OF VICTORIA IN THE COLONY OF HONGKONG, GOVERN-MENT SURVEYOR IN THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, DECEASED.

N TOTICE is hereby given that His Honour SI. JOHN WORKELL CARRINGTON, Knight, C.M.G., D.C.L., LL.D., Chief Justice, has by virtue of Section 58 of ORDINANCE NO. 3 of 1897, made an Order limiting to the 1st day of November, 1898, for sending in claims against the above Estate.

All Creditors are hereby required to send their claims to the Undersigned before the said date. Dated this 13th day of July, 1898,

I. W. NORTON KYSHE. Registrar and Official Administrator.

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THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,

TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING, of the above Company will be held at the COMPANY'S HOTEL, on THURSDAY, the 29th day of September, 1898, at Noon, when the SUBJOINED. RESOLUTION which was passed at the EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of the Company held on the 15th Instant will be submitted for confirmation as a SPECIAL RESOLUTION.

"That a HONUS of TWO THOU-"SAND DOLLARS be hereby voted to "each of the three existing Directors, or "the sum of SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS "In all, out of the profits of the Company. "during the past balf year, as some re-"cognition by the Shareholders of the "successful exertions of the Directors in "placing the concern once more" on a " dividend paying basis."

Dated the 15th day of September, 1898. C. MOONEY, Secretary.

OCEAN STFAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON, VIA MANILA AND SUEZ CANAL

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Captain Gregory, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 19th Instant, at Noon. For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 15th September, 1898;

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HE Company's Steamship Captain Nish, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 27th lustant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

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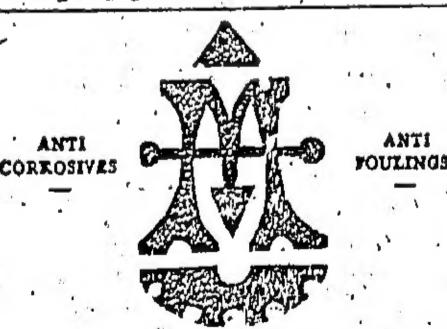
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GENERAL AGENCY. BAILEY'S ENGINEERING AGENCY, 17, PRAXA CENTRAL ... Hongkong, 14th May, 1898.

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A.S. WATSON & CO., LD.

THE HUMGHORG DISPENSARY.

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BIRTHS.

At Glen Ariff, Tanglin, on the 7th instant, the elle of Mr. R. Keup, of a son. At Chicklang, on the Sta instant, the wife of THOMAS WILLIAM BOWERN, of a daughter. DEATH

On the 6th inst, at the residence of Mr. A. Deiker, Waterloo-street, Singarore, Tyrkit. Andrie Ephpaums. -

HONGKONG, THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 15, 1808

· · NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Now that the cricket season is upon us and it has been decided to send an eleven to try conclusions with the "Model Fettlement," we hear growls and grumblings on all hands, both as to the facilities for practice at the nets on the ground, and also at the composition, not only of the 174 days. Shanghai eleven, but of the elevens chosen to take part in local matches. A complaint which we hear on all hands is that there are too few civilians included in the eleven chosen to represent the Colony of thirty miles, at Shanghai, and on referring to the list of names we find that it only includes | A FINE of \$7 or 28 days was imposed on a three of the civil community, the balance being picked from the Civil Service and the Garrison. The civilians are: -A. S. ANTON, H. ARTHUR and A. G. WARD, the representatives of the Garrison being: -G. D. CAMPBELL, P. G. DAVIES, W. A. E. LETHERIDGE, Captain LANGHORN, H. S. Mongrey, Captain Dyson and Rev. G. R. VALLINGS, while Dr. J. A. Lowson, represents the Civil Service.

A glance at the list of names certainly gives one the impression that the military element bears an undue proportion, but a little consideration will show that such is not in reality the case. The elevens sent from the Colony to play Shanghal or other ports do not in reality-represent the pick of our cricketers, but simply a selection from the limited number of them who are able to afford the lelsure for a trip to Shanghal and back. We have, no doubt that a much stronger 'team than: the chosen one could be picked were it merely a matter of selection, but unfortunately business comes before pleasure and the chances are that ten out of eleven civilians selected would be forced to plead inability to obtain the necessary leave to take the trip to Shanghai and back. Hence it is that we are obliged to fall back upon the Services to a great extent in choosing our men. If our best civilian cricketers are unable to get away, then we do not see that they can offer any objection to their

and back, and being entertained while there by the Shanghai Cricket Club.

The other complaint refers to the manner in which the officers of the Navy and Army are apt to monopolise the nets to the exclusion of civilians who would otherwise. make use of them. The civillans complain that the Naval and Military players are able to get away to the cricket ground at about three o'clock in the afternoon, while they are detained in office until five and then arrive on the ground only to find all the available nets occupied and every chance of an hour's practice after office | SENTENCES of three and six months were tohours gone. There certainly appears to be justice in this complaint, and we believe that were it put before the officers of the fleet and garrison in an amlcable spirit a solution of the difficulty would be arrived THE Malay States Guides have ordered from at by which certain hours would be set aside for the different classes of cricke- their annual musketry course. The trophy will ters. We know that the ground is be awarded to the Company that comes out best wretchedly small and that the civilians in each year's course. are unable to get away from their workfleet and garrison officers could attend and the machine, Vr. A. Gibton fell into the cooling then and there arrange the matter. It well and fractured his leg." cannot for a moment be denied that both WATERS MANUPACTURED BY US are Services are most useful in the matter of THE promenade concert in ald of the funds of and it would therefore be more courteous to consult them before taking steps to exclude them altogether from the cricket ground at certain specified hours. Such a course would only lead to bad feeling, while the alternative which we suggest would fulfill the necessary ends without hurting the feelings of anyone,

REUTER'S MESSAGE

THE DREYFUS CASE.

LONDON, September 13th. Col. Paty do Clam has been compelled to retire from the Army and has been dismissed the sixil owing to machinations with Major Esterbazy in connection with the Dreyfas case,

M. Zulinden the Minister for War having examined the papers in connection with "the trivits convinced that Capt. Dreyfus is guilty, and threatens to resign if the Cabinet persists in a revision of the sentence.

TYPHOON WARNING.

Senor Don José de Navarro, Spinish Consul at this port, courteously forwards us the follow-Bog telegram received from the Manila Obser-

"Manila, rath September, 5.50 pm. There is a new depression to the East of Luzan,"

The Observatory report to-day says :-- On the 15th at 11 50 sm.: The barometer has then a little in the North, and remains steady in the South. Pressure is normal on the China coast; slightly low to a troughlike area lying across the N. pr. t of the China Sea and extendwinds in the S. part of China Sear FORECAST -Moderate N. E. winds; mostly fair, but probably some thurder showers,

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE U.S.S. Bullimore leaves for Manila at nine a.m to-morrow.

THE their of a pipe caused a peculative individual to-day to be sent to gaol for 28 days.

In the two years since the plague broke out in Bombay there have been a little over foo,coo caies of the disease.

SHORT Weight, -Butcher: "I'm in a large way of business " Customer (excessically) "Your weigh is always short." (Ructions),

The new pavilion of the Schanger Gell Club was opened on the 3rd inst, with a moonlight putting competition, followed by a supper and sing-song. A BLUIJACKET from H.M.S. Blankelm, when

discharged from gool was cangut attempting to convey a letter out side. He was fined \$5 or

the first man in the Nile expedition to sight | Consult of the port from which the returning Omdurman, the Khalifa's capital, at a distance | Chinese have sailed."

vehicle for persistent solicitation of passengers, an all too common nulsance at the piers and outside hotels.

MP, Frank Holmes, a member of a Birmingham firm, intends sgain to attempt to swim scross the English Channel this seas n. At his first signs of exhaustion after swin mi g for four teresting. hours and covering nine miles.

Mount Austin Barracks, to-morrow evening, Mr. Morrak and Mr. Looker.

Two boarding house supners from 50, Praya Central were to-day charged with having freudolently decoyed 24 men into the colony. RECENTLY a builock was carried off by a tiger [24] vantage of a free passage to Shanghal ball of \$100 and \$200 being allowed.

Deputy Conscivator, have been lent to the Works, the Yamen of the Commandant of the Slamese Government, making the sixth forester so leat by India.

A MALAY who stole the Resident of Selangor's watch has been sent to prison for three months. He was employed as punkah puller. He will be ptherwise employed now.

THE Sarawak/Gasette of the 1st Instant notes that a whale has run ashore and died there. Its length was 66 feet, its circumference 24 feet, and the width of the tall, 19} feet.

day passed on a married woman from British Kowloon for having a number of counterf-it foreign coins in her possession." home a handsome shield in connection with

so early as the Service members, and we An Ice Machine has been set up at Kuching inconsider that the best way of proceeding | Sarawak. On the 25th August, while with a would be to call a meeting at which the number of speciators watching the working of

> place on Salurday, 5th November, Instead of Saturday, 29th October, as previously announced, at the request of Sir John Carrington on account of the camping out of the Volunteers.

A MARRIED WOMEN was to-day charged by Sin'tary Inspector McDonald with depositing subbish on the footpath outside Kowloon Institutes. The husband appeared instead and said the garbage was put there by a small child. Captain Hastings said it was a put-up job and fined the man C5.

IT is reported from Sr. Petersburg that the Novosti, a newspaper there, has declared that it will be time for a conference to be held between the representatives of the Powers when the reasons which lead to the maintenance of the present large armaments shall have been clearly explained and shall have been removed.

INSPECTOR of Nulranc's Fincher to-day, charged three lodging house keepers in Wanchai with overcrowding their premises: One was fined \$9 and the other two \$6 For keeping an unlicensed lodging house in Nollah Lane the Inspector prosecuted another man. He said he had kept the place for 12 months past. Captain Hastings. said he had done very well and fined him \$25 or six wrehs gool.

A COMMITTER, with Mr. Watson as President is now siving to discuss rules for the clerical ing appointments, promotion, etc. One of the proposed items is the establishment of a Provident Fund to enable clerks to put by 5 per cent of their salaries monthly, and from which loans on interest will be granted them in case of illness

Tite refusal of the biklibs pullers at Taiping to obey a Government order, as regards the taking out of Eccases and badger, by paying \$1.50,25. fee, is a source of considerable inconvenience to the public. The men said that they had not got the \$1.50 to invest in a license and badge. They also said they had no one who would go security for them, when the Government offereto pay the fee.

A MARRIAGE has been arranged, and will short ly take place, between George Stewkley Shuck burgh, Lieutenant and Commander, R.N., oni surviving son of the late Colonel Henry Shuckburgh, 40th Bengal Native Infantry, and Amy Mary, youngest daughter of the late. John Robertson, of Cararaoke Colsa, Australia, and step-daughter of L. A. Corbet, of Hallfex, Nova Scotia. / Lt. Shuckburgh was well known on the China Station.

GOVERNOR General Oils has written to Consul General Wildman under date of August 31st 1898, "that Chinese laborers, (ikilled or unskilled) formerly resident in Manila, and temporazily absent therefrom, will be allowed to return upon proper proof of "such previous residence, which may be made by presentation of GENERAL Gordon's nephew is said to have been a Spanish Cedula or Certificate of the American

A JAPANESE paper learns that the Governmen is withdrawing the one-yen convertible note from circulation and that notes to the amount of the shareholders, I am only too pleased to be of 28,000,000 yen have been withdfawn up to the present time. This is interesting. Suppose Japan withdraws all her convertible notes at present in circulation. What will happen, and this as an encouragement to continue their how will her "gold standard" assist her? A reply from someone more thoroughly an fait practice he left the water without showing any; on financial matters would probably prove in-

THE Universal Gaustie gives the following A CONCERT is to be beld at the Recreation Room, I recent anecdote of the Emperor: At a recent audience given by his Majesty to two well-known commencing at 8 15. The vecal numbers in Censors, namely, Ting Chih-shih and Talarg clude songs by Mrs. Buttinshaw, Mrs. Grace, Shih-fen, the Emperor asked the former "Do Mrs. Vallings, Copt. Buttanshaw and Mr. Graco | you read the Chinese Progress ? 1. " No, your and the entertalnment concludes with a sketch [Majesty," replied Ting. The Emperor then entitled "Sweethearts," the characters being turned to Tsiang and said : "Do you?" "Yes, taken by Mrs. Rounsevelle Wildman, Mrs. Long, Your Majesty, for I improve my knowledge of foreign affairs by doing so," teplied Taiang, whereupon his Majesty was extremely pleased and looked with favour upon the latter Censor.

from Holhow for the purpose of immigration and at Alor Gajab, Malacca, and Mr. Marriott, the detained them by infimidation. They were District Officer, arranged to sit up and try and brought here on a steamer and the defendants | get the animal when he returned to the kill. paid their passages and told them they would Unfortunately for Mr. Marriott, one of his men be sent to Singspore. They were put in the had the first shot at the tiger, and put a bullet 'op of a house and were told that some of them | through the animal's head, killing, it outright. were to go to Dell and that they would be heaten Although the man could not walt to give Mr. to death if they attempted to go out. They would Marriott the first shot, he was quite content to to pass the resolution. go to Singapore but not to Dell. Mr. Gedge wait up the tres until Mr. Marriott had arcerappeared for the defendants and cross examined. I tained that the tiger was really dead. It is said more fortunate comrades in the Services After a quantity of evidence had been taken the there are three other figure about the neightaking their places and reaping the ad- case was remanded till 11.30 am. to-morrow; bourhood,-a male and female, and a fellow young one to that killed,

THE services of Mr. Marshall, an Indian Extra | The Emperor has commanded the Board of closed could not be re-opened. He added "I Gendarmerie and the Police Censers to consider and report upon signs to be taken in repairing and levelling the road-ways in Peking also digglng and clearing out all guiters or water-ways in the city. The expenses will be provided by the Board of Rovenue, - Mercury.

> CROWN Lands Balliff King to-day sald he wishedto withdrawn a charge of cutting tuif at Shaukl-wan on Crown Lan's, as he found he had summoned the wrong man. It was a coolle and not Tam Ho, who was charged, who committed | Company's Memorandum of Association ;the offence. The turt was for the new hotel heing fitted at the Mics Works. The charge was withdrawn and Mr. Geige, who appeared for Tam Ho, appli d for costs, but His Worship refused, saying that the mistake was a natural one and that Mr. King had made full enquire before prosecuting and he knew Tam Ho had an interest in the new hotel.

As evidence of a Consular nature is not wanting to indicate that the Heathen Chinese is beginning to take kindly to bicycle exercise, the Financial Times advices British mannfacturers to be on the alert, and to lose no opportunity of being early in the field, in view of the immense I form. possibillies to trade which the Celestial Empire will affer. It w'il have to be borne in mind. supplying first-class material for matches, the Hongking Benevolent Society will take however, by intending shippers that the climate is very different from that of Great Britain as regards its effects in the oxidation of metals, and that even alckel plating is only a very temporary protection. It may also be mentioned that high gearing is suitable for the country owing to the absence of hille, .

> A CHINAMAN living near Shanghal bas bee-Interviewed, and, smong other things, says, concerning the "barbarian" Europeans :- "They certainly do not know how to amuse themselves. You never see them enjoy themselves by sitting quietly upon their ancestors' graves. They jamp around and kick balls as if they were paid to do it. Again, you will find them making long tramps Into the country; but that is probably a religious duty, for when they tramp they wave sticks into the air, nobedy knows why. They have no sense of dignliy, for they may be found walking with women. They even sit down at the same table with women, and the latter are served first,"-Frankfurter Zeitung.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL CO., LL

EXTRAORDINARY MEETING. INSIGNIFICANT OPPOSITION TO THE SPECIAL

RESOLUTION. An extraordinary general meet og of the above Company was held at the Company's Hotel at tervice of the Federated Malay States, regulated noon to-day. Mr. E. Osbonne presided- and there were also present :- Messrs, R. C. Wilcox and W. Parfitt (Directors) C. Mooney (Secretary), D. MacDonald, J. H. Cox, Ho Tung, J. McKle, G. C. Cox, E. Gesig, Capt. T. Rowin, J. Y. V. Vernon, J. C. Peter, T. Brown, S. H. Michael, Gutterrez, Lo Cheung Sait, Ho J Shang, Tal Tak, Chan Chan Nam, Ip Chee Fong/ Leong

Tit Shan, Sang Kee, Leong King Shan, Ho Yam Nam, How Chuk Teen, and Wong Kam Fok. The Secretary read the notice convening the

The Chaliman-Gentlemen, at the last half yearly meeting of the shareholders, Mr. Ho. Tung, was kind enough to suggest that a bonus them seven days' grace for their finding security | should be given to the Directors is a recognition of the work they had done during the last five years In connection with this Hotel. That has been embodied in a resolution which has been advertised during the past three worky, in secordance with the Articles of Association. will now ask Mr. Ho Tung to place it formally

before the meeting, Mr. Ho Tung- Wr. Chairman and gentlemen, I have much pleasure in sising to move the following special resolution for the purpose of giving merited recognition to the pist services

of our Directors !hereby voted to each of the three existing Directors, or the sum of six thousand deliars in all. out of the profits of the Company during the nest half year, as some recognition by the. Shareholders of the successful exections of the Directors in piscing the concern once more on a dividend paying basis."

I don't think I need add much to my temarks at the general meeting on the 18th uit. I should like, however, to remind the shareholders that. as a maiter of fact, this booms is not so much a free gift after all. For sometime the Directors only drew half the authorised remuneration, so that now the Company is prosperous it can well afford to cash up the deferred pay with something handsome in the way of interest. For my own part and speaking for a large number able to take this apportunity, and this mode, of showing our appreciation of the good work done on our hebail. I only hope we may long retain their services and that the Directors will take unremitting efforts to maintain the Company in its present flourishing condition. (Applause).

much pleasure in seconding the resolution pro- | viewed by Lvd Do L. Warr and others, and posed by Mr. Ho Teng The amount proposed to asked to explain away or contradict the evidence; he voted to the Di ectors is a substantial one, that he had given at his public examination, and I think you will all agree that in proportion A statement was, drawn up and handed to the services of the Directors it is moderate, to him, with a promise that if he made it a surge especially in view of what was mentioned by Mr. of £1,000 would be paid to him. The magne-Ho Tung, that when the Company was not pros- script was produced in support, and Mr. Figurer perous the Directors did not draw their full fees. reaffirmed his statement about being approached At the last meeting Mr. He Tong referred to the by the directors of the Humber Cycle Company. five years the value of the shares greatly depre- 16th. clated, but now the shareholders ere \$250,000 to the better. In view of that I think you should vote some handsome recognition to the Directors. I have much pleasure in according the resolu-

In reply to Mr. J. H. Cox, called by the Directors under power given them s meeting convened by the Directors.

holders had any power; to alter the accounts which had already been passed and to take Long Vacation, to which the Registrar assented. \$6,000 out of the amount carried forward. He Mr. Johnston afterwards apologized for his considered it quite incompetent for this meeting | threat to the debtor, ap 1 the Registrar accepted

that has been passed.

Hongkong were his authority. An account once about witness:

am sorry to go in opposition to the wishes of the greater majority of shareholders but business is

business. Mr. Ho Tung suggested that Mr. J. H. Cox should move an amendment to the resolution. Mr. J. H. Cox sald be did not think it this amendment) would be cirrled (Laughter and hear, hear) His resolution would be in the from that it was not computent for this meeting

to pass the resolution. " The Chairman-I think, Mr. Cox, that when this resolution has been advertised in most distinct terms, it is only competent for this meeting to accept or negative it. As you have raised the point, I will read to son from Article 57 of the

"The Company may, from time to time, by resolution passed, at least three-fifths of the votes of the shareholders present, such, threefilths representing, at less, 1,500 shares in the Company, personally or by proxy, at any extraordinary meeting, repeal, or mak new provictions in lieu of, or in addition to any regulations of the Company, whether contained in the Articles of Association, or not " The Chairman, continuing-This, I should

submit, answers your question (Gear, hear). Mr. E. Georg suggested that the words "out of the profits of the ompany during the past half year" should be left out. The Chaleman-We are sorry we expnot

amend it-we have no power to amend it. It must be eccepted or negatived in its present Mr. J. H. Cox vai i that he felt quite sure Article 17 dld not apply to this cite. This was not a

meeting called to alter the Antoles of Association or Regulation. He was sorry that some shareholders, having the same opinion, could not be present. The Chairman-The resolution, as worded, provides that the money should be taken out

of last half year's profits. The account for the last half year showed a b lance which was civiled forward to the n comt half year . It It out of bit bilance, if you, genilemen, appr veof this bonus, it will be taken. It bo other gentlemen have any remarks to make I will now put the resolution to the mestire.

The resolution was then put to the meeting a 12 voted for and two (Mr. J. H. Cox and Capt. T. Rowin) ageinst. There were 28 shareholdern present (including Directors, who did not vote). The Chairman-Mr. Ho Tung and gentlemen,

I have to thank you most sincerely for the kind manner in which this resolution has been proposed and accepted by you. I should like to state that before calling this meeting, the Directors satisfied themselves that it was the wish of a large body of shareholders that this bonus should be given and, in fact, we have in the room proxies from shareholders whose aggregate holding of shares total something like 2,000. These shareholders have authorised us to vote on their behalf in favour of this bonus. We are very sorry that there are dissenters against the bonus but it is the dealer of the majority of the shareholders (Hear, hear.) This resolution will be submitted for confirmation as a special resolution to an extraordinary meeting which will be held this day farinight. I thank you again for the confidence you have in us as expressed by the passing of this resolution and I assure you that we shall in the future as in the past, give great personal care and attention to your interests and speaking for myself I have not the slightest besitation in saying that with excelut management, the shareholders will have a good return for their money. (Applause)

Mr. J. H. Cox said that he had not the alightest doubts as to the wishes of the majority of the shareholders but he called upon the legality of the meeting. The shareholders, he again said, were not competent to pass the resolution.

> AUCTION OF LEASEHOLD PREMISES.

Mr. H. N. Mody, by order of the Administrafor, to-day exposed for sale by public suction. at the premises the following leasehold pre-

All that piece or percel of land registered in the Land Office as Inland Lot No. 514 with the messuage and erection thereon being No. Q. Queen's Road Central. This properly is held for the unexpired residue of a term of gog years from the 21st of January, 1857, and is subject to an Annual Crown Rent of £24 tor. All that piece or parcel of land, registered in

the Lard Office as Marine Lot No 101 with the messusges and erections thereon, being No. 7, Queen's Road Central and No. 5, Prays Contral. This lot adjains Inland Lot No. 514 above "That a tonus of two thousand dollars be and is beld for the residue of a term of 999 years from the roth November, 1855, subject to an Annual Crown Rent of £30.

> The whole property was put up in one lot. The bidding commenced at \$125,000 and rose in \$5.000 bids to \$180,000; \$1,000 bids were then allowed an the bidding went up to \$182,000 when it was bought back.

> > MR. HOOLEY'S AFFAIRS.

CONTEMPT OF COURT CASES.

In the Outen's Beach Division of the High Court, on August 12th, before Mr. Justice Wright, a mo ion was beard on behalf of the Official Receiver for the committal for contempt of Court of Lord De La Warr and three others. for attempting to interfere with the course, of Justice by endeavouring to Induce Mr. Hooley t give felge evi ence at his public exemination and offering him money for the purpose. Counsel read an affidavit from Mr. Hooler, in which he Mr. G C. Cox. -Mr. Chairman, I have very stated that on the 28th of July he was interloss of the shareholders to former years. " If you | The Judge held there was a substantion case to work that out you will find that during the last | answer and fixed the further bearing for August An adjourned slitting was held the same day

for Mr. Hooley's public examination. At the outset of the proceedings the debtor stated that while he was standing outside the Court Mr. George Lawson Johnston had said to him, "If you throw any more mud, or say anything The Chairman said-The meeting has been further about us or myself, I shell go into the box and make what statergent I can by the Articles of Association. It is not a meet- about your wife's funds." Witness picked ink convened at the request of shareholders, but up his silck and gave him a cut across the head. The Registrar directed that the facts be laid Mr. J. H. Cox said he did not think the share- before the Judge. The Offichal Receiver applied for an adjournment of the examination over the the apology and let the matter drop. Lord Mr. Ho Tung-For my own part I think the Albemasic made cort ain explanations in respect shareholders, at extraordinary meeting, have the to his transactions with Mr. Hooley, and said right to withdraw any amount from any account he had nothing wh atever to do with an alleged offer to the banky apt of Li,000 (not that above Mr J. H. Cox said that the Ordinances of noticed) if he wo'ald gottenet the statements made

AFTER THE WAR. HEALTH OF THE TROOPS.

GARCIA'S REPENTANCE. WASHINGTON, August 12th, The America Greater of his accepted the responsibility of compelling the Cuban and the Phillippine insurgents to stilct observance of the armistice. No great triuble is anticipated with the Cabans, but in order to coerce the Filipians'

to 40,000. General Shafter's report on the health of the troops le Santiago, for August 10th, shows that the total number of sick was 3,255, of which 2,151 were faver cases, including 307 fresh cases. The men whi returned to duty numbered agg. The rumber of deaths was Ic.

leaders, General Merritt's forces will be raised

The shocking condition of the troops returned and re urn! g from Santlage Is excling the Stites more than the details of peace arrangements. The will certainly be an all-round reckoning. with Secretary Alger, Surgeon-General Steinberg, Adja's at-General Tillinghurst, and others who can be made responsible. The transports filled at Santi-go, with alok or invillded, have arrived at No lolk and at Montauk with the men in a Idehtfully worse state, from over-crowding, want of ford, and want of medical treatment? some instances they were packed fourmento a heith; In worse than tropical heat, with limited supply of foul water. The arrival at Mo tank Point found no proposation to the hastily impriviled d mos there to receive them. They had to be next the beach at night under heavy tales wille sick and fevere were wi heat heddow, and only under sheller of canvas. The aganble among the officials of the War Department have largely conduced to this state

The following telegram from Santiago is published by the Harald :-- " Garcia has given indications of his de ire to reconsider his action In severing colutions with the American Army, He welfers to furnish guides for the Puerto Real Trap Itlan, shough he edmis that this | shore. Forchow receipt with a minimum of offer has dime too late. I fell Government his harm, and the injury anitained by the houses at been Polished at Santiago. The Government, Kullang was guite exceptional beyond the loss on the fire G per t Shefter, cabled to the plan few tiles. The Missionaries' houses at little or at wenty such officials as are neces- | Sharp Peak, however, again suffered to some SRIY. 11

A telegrand from Elegator, Ismales, ann n c . thet Mr. Ramideo, the late British Control a Smithe , was builed verterday, A miral Corvers was interviewed with respect the to title contained in General Bil and the department of Madrid, (Blanco asked for I's amoval and described blm as incip-Able) Cervera wild, "I have no fear as to my reice fon to Spain, nor du I fear the verdict of the Spanish people,"

" Gereral Miles telepraphed on August 13th, from his head quarters to Puerto Rico:-" The following to from Schwadt Immediate y after bistrict. repulle yets day the Spanish treeps, Jilned by those left at blays, nez, mi ved in the direction of Ler w. Have sent scouts in that direction. My command aftered Mayageez at nine this morning "

The New York Harald publishes the following telegarm from Washington :- "The end of the was has drive much earlier than the most optimists field anticipried. Prominent among the cause i r congratulation is the fact that the United States are not involved in complications with a third Power, a fact largely due to the very filer dly attitute of Great B Itala When the lot take bread and try and save some. The secret dictements blittary of the war comes to be writte : the full measure of obligations of the United State to Geest Bit ain will be apparent."

A FATAL FIRE.

-A-free which eresulted in a sterrible fatality occurred at the Brack Lane, Stagapore, on the 7th lasts. The upper part of the house was occupied by a Chinase manied woman, her ton and two deaghters, the husband being away; and the lower part by two Chinese. Some Malays who noticed the fire young-ter into the street, where it was caught-by the Malays, she and her son made good her escape by means of a pole. The son states that he went to the ruom' where his other sister was alcening ainne, and found that he could not center. The Fire Brigade were quickly on the anot and made an attempt to rescue the glel, but to an nurphse, as they were dilven back by the firmer, the roof falling to shortly afterwards. The fire spread to the roof of the pext house but was quickly put out, and af er the authreak had I this summer has been about Syo in the shade, been exterpoished the body of the unfirturate | andthis only on one or two days | For a month alil was discovered a mass of charied remains for so it ranged about 820 in the hottest part of amongst the debrise The origin of the fire is | the day, cooler at nights, and now and then a not known, but it is supported to have broven | drop of eight to ten degrees in the day. And out in the lower story, and the two-Chinese | this has been, in that matter, an average tenants have heen detained pending inquiry .- | summer. On Linkungtso cricket and other S.F. Press.

THE NEW VICEROY OF INDIA.

The Queen has been pleased to approve the appointment of the Right Hou George Nathaniel Cu zon, M.P., Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, to be Viceroy and Governor-General of India, on the retirement of the Earl of Elgin

is the elilect son of Lord it gredate, the rector of Keille-ton, in Dirbyshire, by Blanche, firm, but subsidised by the navel authorities, is the second daughter of the late Mr. Joseph Proklington-Sanhouse, of Nothershall, Cumberland. Born in January, 1859, Mr. Curana has had a distinguist ed academical and political career. He was e ucated at Elon and Balifol College, Oxford. In 880 his took a First Class in England and Russia! Yesterday had been Classical Moderations, and in 1882 a Second fixed as the day when the Russian Fleet of Class 's Liter's Humanitoribus. In 1883 he | twenty-two ships was to, come along and clear won the Lothlan prize for an essay on | Justin- out the English, -or at least attempt it. In the ian," and in he same year he was elected to a minds of many there seems to have been a Fellowship at All Souls. He was awarded in doubt as to whether it would succeed. In recent 1884 the Arnold histo leal prize for an essay on | years there have been so many changes, that to "Str Thomas More," During his undergraduate many of the population another change would Greet he was a frequent speaker at the Union | not be unwelcome, especially were it brought Debating Society, whose cheir he occupied for one about by a quarrel between two of the outside term. I 1885, when he acted as assistant private | Western Kingdoms, secretary to the Marquis of Salisbury, Mr. Curson unsuccessfully contested South Derbyshire in year he succeeded in capturing the Southport visit to the harbour. Division of Lancashise from the Gladstonian Liberals by a majority of nearly 500 votes. Curzon's popularity in the constituency has steadily Increased since 1886, his majorities have grown in survey work. The harbour itself has been at each successive election, and at the last well surveyed and I understand gives general mgeneral election, on a heavy poll, he defeated failsfaction. In places a good deal of dredging his Radical opponent by 764 votes. Mr. Curzon is called for, but'as the bottom is mostly mud has travelled largely to the East, several times this will not likely be a great expense. I hear as Correspondent of The Times, and his books | that a dredger is on its way here for that work, on "Russia in Central Asia" (1889), "Persia | Some of the nunken Chinese warships have and the Persian Question" (1891), and "Problems | been sold to a Chinere firm, and they are buslly. of the Far East" (1894) Indicate both the engaged in blowing them to pieces and making extent and the character of his travels. what they can of the old fron, copper, etc. One The value of his contributions to geogra- hears of important improvements to be under-phical knowledge was recognized in 1895 taken, but anything extensive will, of course, by the Royal Geographical Society, which have to be sanctioned by the home authorities, awarded to him its gold medal. In 1891 he and what is to be made of the place in the near become Under-Secretary for India, a post which future probably even Lord Sallabury or Mr. he occupied till the fall of the Sallsbury Admin- Goschen have as yet no clear ideas. But it is istration in 1892. Since 1895 he has held the likely that the redoublable and gallant Lord office of Under-Secretary of State for Foreign | Charles Beresford will visit the place, and they Affairs, and in that year he was made a Privy | will surely have a good many ideas and sugges-Canadillor. In 1895 he was married to Mary tions free, gratis, and for nothing on his return Victoria, the dauginter of Mr. L. Z. Lelter, of home, as to what to do with Wel-hal-well-W. Washington, U.S.A .- Times. G. Datty News Cor.

THE RECENT TYPHOON.

The following notes are from the Foochow Reho of the 3rd last :-

Among the disasters occasioned by the recent gales, we have to record the total wreck of the Foodhow Plint boat Sea-Hon which was lost last Monday morning at the entrance of the South Passage. It appears that the unfortunate, vessel had her rudder carried away by the heavy seas and then being unmanageable drifted on shore,

It is a matter for congratulation that no loss of life occurred, the entire crew being saved, even to the ship's dog, which swim ashore uninjured. It is reported that a claim will be made against the Chinese anthorities by the foreign Pilots, who owned the vestel, on account of the looting of the wreck by the natives.

The American barque Serrano Capialn R. A. Waterhouse, bound from Shanghal to this port with miscellaneous cargo, was caught in the storm off Matsu on Monday last and sustained serious is juries. The salls, rigging, and muste were swept overboard and the versel lerked badly. Application for assistance was made by he American Convul to the Tertar-General who promote sent a gunboat to the reserve of the imperil'ed westel and towed her to harbour at Pagoda Anchorage.

The d.s. Haeshie brought in vesterday in tow from Maisu the distibled a s. Folkao, a steamer formerly the property of the Danglas tireknown as the Sin Follow " The Holkan was an her firs' unvace from Newchwing under her present ownership, Mr. Marty, to Amoy with a cargo of beancake and was rescued from the perilons position into which she had been delven, close to the island of Tuncelng by Cant. Crawford of the Irana who took her in tow to Maiss, whence as mentioned, she was brought to Pegoda Anchorage by the Hazzhin.

Considering the force of the wind and the prolarged deluge of win it is surplising that comparatively little damage was done to property on extent as well as some of the outhouses of the E. E. Telegraph Company.

CHOU-PING FLOODS:

August 22nd. I am sorry to say the banks of the yellow River have again broken. This time there is a break on the South side bringing the floods within sight of this city of Chou-ping.

It is the mast serious fload ever known in this

The c'ty of Chalung to H N. W. is full at water, Kanyeng 70 li N., has been parily awent tway, while many villages are entirely carried way, and the lors of life most fearful. Almost hously some of our members who have managed to get bosts and escare are arriving to take refuge with us and being the most distressing aports of the perllous condition of the people emaining in water even on the tops of their inuses which may collabre at any moment. We tre trying to get houts (which are most difficult to obtain, not being a boat district) and intend official has go' sime boats and has sent them off figing the flig Sawe life boat, but, alas ! It is all-only a drop in the ocean of this distress.-Mercury Cor.

WEI-HAI-WEI.

Sep'ember zet,

· NAVAL NEWS. For two or three weeks past there has been little of general interest occurring to connection with this place. About a week since the flag-. awaks the woman by tapping at the window ship Centurion, returned from her craire in with a pule and she anatching up her youngest | Japanese waters, as did the Victorious, Nardaughter attempted to teach the stater. She was clients. Barffene, and others, At present, includ- above salary for the term of renewal and this forced back be the filmer, and throwing the ling destroyers, some twelve or fourteen ships rate in the harbour.

> targ t-practice or ones to Chefoo to chal, otherwise there is not much movement among them, Little as there frost Wel-bal-wel to make it an sitractive place. I understand that many of them were glad to be back from Janan, owing to the fact that here it is much coller,

OUR MAX MUM HEAT games have, during the whole time, been freely induiged in. It is certainly a croter place to spend about and September, in than Chefco. and in time Wel-hel-wel may take away much of the popularity of that place as a summer resort,

CCCASIONAL STEAMERS now call on their way to or from Chefoo, but as vet there is little business octside supplying the Fleet; it, however, makes it possible for re- Paris," "lifen's or visitors to come and go without The Right Hon. George Nathaniel Coran having the trying overland journey. There is a report that a steamer belonging to a Chinese soon to be regularly running between here and

NATIVE RUMOURS.

Among the natives prestrient and wide-spread reports prevail of imm nent trouble between

The Fucks is still here, and is the only warlike (?) representative of Chins on hand, though the Conservative interest, but in the following some few days since the Tungcht, paid a short

THE SURVEY OF THE HARBOUR.

The Waterwitch is still here burily engaged

THE EMPEROR OF KOREA'S BODYGUARD.

A day or so ago we remarked upon the fact that the Emperor of Korea was obtaining the services of a bodyguard recruited in Shanghal," That bedyguard is now on its way towards Club Chemulpo in one of the vessels of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Its constitution is somewhat curlous. Every member had to sign a printed form, stating that he was not given to the use of "oplum or opeates," that he had no disease, was not "Intemperate" in the use of liquota etc., etc. Then he was presented with the following printed document which we give | rules :-verbatim et literatim :-

This contract, made at Shanghai, China, Corean Government acting by C. R. Greathouse who is authorised to make it, party of the first

Scoul, on the following conditions:-

A second class passage shall be furnished the sald---- from Shanghal to Scoul.

ART 2YD the end of each month, and the remaining \$5 per It is to be especially understood and agreed of the first part and the said .--- iball have no right to any part thereof.

· ART, 3FD; · Burracks for sleeping or a room for sleeping will be jurnished for said -----including bads and beding (?) lights and fuel for fires in cold weather, also uniforms consisting of hat, coat, vest, belt, and trowsers as may from time to time be necessary, but all other clothings as also food shall be pievide by said ----

ammunitions and Medical attention, and medicines, will be furnished the said.

is to do general police duty in and around the may be and especially to guard, protect and defend His M. jesty and the Imperial Family from all danger or harm at all times, also to "accompany His Majisty when they go out from the Palace, also to do such other special police dutter as may be found necessary.

Said----agrees to faithfully and dilligently perfo. m. all his duties as mentioned above and keep sober also to obey all the rules and lawful o.ders of his superior officers whether foreign or Corean. '

He also guarantees the truth of all answers to the questions annexed to this paper. 🕾

It is understood that the party of the first part may discharge the said ---- before the end of the aid term and will not pay any salary for the following reasons:-- 1st neglect of dulyand, failure to obey any rules and regul. Hons or Lawful orders of his superior, officers-3rd, misconduct eliker when off-dury or on-duly intextcants to excess or opeater-ath, if he has made unitus answers to the questions annexed hereto. ART ETH.

It is understood that this contract terminates at the end of the said term of one year and shall not be coreldired as continued unless a new contract to that affect is made.

paid an additional of 2.50 yen per month to the will be increased at the same rate rach year as a remard for continuous service but will not be At times one of the number steams out for paid if said --------- is discharged, or after end of his term.

CORTAN GOVERNMENT. (Signature of Policiman ---) The force is composed as fillows :-Ame-leans9 Ruislans2

Apparently these numbers indicate the pro-

ZOLA IN LONDON.

he has been in London within the last few days, there can no longer be any doubt.

Southampton a gentleman who took rooms at the Grosvenor Hotel and inscribed himself in the visitors' book as "M. Pascal, venant de

of Z sla's most famous novels is entitled. "Dr. Pascal," shows that it is in Zola's handwriting, The people at the Hotel did not recognize Zola. but two French gentlemen, one of whom is M De Monicand, of Paris, did so. On Friday Madame Zila l'ined her husband, and on Saturday they both quitted the Grosvenor in a cab without leaving another address, but it was understood that they had gone to a private address in London. A lady calls every morning at the

M. Zila, of course, assuming the identification to be carrect, has taken reluge in London merely in order to gain time by avoiding service of the ladgment passed upon him. Only five days were allowed him, after such service wherein to appeal, and Zola obviously desires such a stay of proceedings as shall give time for the fresh revelations promised by the proceedings in the cases of Colonel Picard and Commandant Esterhazy to produce their effect,-Exchange.

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1897-1898 :--The Committee have the pleasure to lay before you their report on the last season.

This fifth day of Sept., 1898, between the

part and party of the second part shows. That whereas the first party has concluded to erganize and maintain a corps of Palace police composed of foreigners and to be known as the Imperial Palace Police, therefore it is agreed that the sald second party shall be employed as a member of the said corps of the police from the term he reports for Buty at the Palace In

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ART. OTH. If this contract is renewed by paper in writing

by C R. Giesthouse, Agent.

portional estimation in which the powers are held by the Korean government .- S. D. Press

That M. Zola Is to London, or at least that

On Monday, July 19th, there arrived from Thirtentry, quite apart from the fact that one

Grosvenor for." M. Pascal's" correspondence, which arrives by the French mail.

I sing of one no Pow's has trounced, Whose place in every strile is neuter. Whose name is frequently pronounced As Reuter.

In Router,

The following is the report for the season To the members of the Hongkong Fostball

The accounts attached show a betiner of \$65.79 to the credit of the Club on August 30,

The following record shows the results of the matches played under Rugby and Association

Giols for.....31 Association | Drawn 2 .. against ... 18 Woo... 7 For specially good play in the Association mi'cher, badges were awarded to Messis. H. S.

A' the commencement of the season the Club was granted the use of a new, piece of ground at Worguelchang and permission was obtained to ground would involve considerable expense, and as It was necessary to have a carctaker for the matshed during the season, the subscription was valued to \$5 A large number of reate have been bought for the use of non-playing members of China: Withire & Co., Bonckong. Advt. at the matches on the Clob ground, A six-a-si te competition was held early in the

season. Messir, Looker and Slade kindly presented a handsome sliver challenge cup to the Club to be he'd by the winning team. Mr. J. McKie kindly presented six sessi pins to the planers in the winning team. After many close and interesting matches the competition was wen by Mr. H. S. Mobiely's team.

The Club now consists of 114 members: Daring the year 31 new members were elected, The sea on was closed by the fourth annual Cinner at which az were present,

The Hongkong Football Chillerge Shield was won by G. Company of the King's Own Reament who were drawn in the ties against H Company, King's Own Regiment, A Company, King's Own Regiment, E. Company, King's Own Regiment, H M S. Conturion, and but in future these medals cannot be given as | Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1808 permit the expense. Twenty one teams entered | will be CLOSED from the 13th to 27th Sept. for the competition 'From a balance sheet both days inclusive. nitached it will be seen that the Hongkong Football Challenge Shield Account has a credit balence of \$150'30.

The namual meeting for the purpose of receivlug the Committee's reput for the past sesson, and for electing the committee and officers for the forthcoming sesson, will be held in the Cilck t Pavillon on Thursday, September 22nd, ext t p.m. An extreordinary general meeting will be held immediately after the annual meeting for the purpose of altering Rule 3.

Present reading of Rule 3, " Five of the Committee shall form a quorum." * Proposed alteration. Rule 3, "Three of the Committee shall form a quorum."

NOTANDA CALENDAR. SEPTEMBER. itelegrological means based on ten years'

observations to 1893. Thermometer80 f-Rainfall...... 8.58. TO-DAY. WEATHER REPORT. On date at On date at Barometer 20,86

TO-DAY. Thursday, 15th September, 1808. Chirese-30th of 7th moon of 25th year of Kworz-sü. Son-Rises 5Ar. 47min Sets 6hr. Smin. High water-Morning 8kr. 13min. Afternoon 8hr: 59 mln. Low water-Morning 1hg. 57 min.

Afternoon 2hr. 51min. AWNIVERSARIES. 1841-Biltish barque Kile wrecked in Formosa Channel 1843-Revolution in the Punjaub. 1850-Sir I. K. Brunel died. 1867-Eleven public gaming bouses opened in

Hongkong. 1871 - Tongala ports opened to foreign trade. 1880-Serious disturbance at Canion at the French Cathedral ; several rioters shot. 1882-Arab! Pasha sugrendered. 1884-Tephoon at Yokohama and Tokio.

1887-Chinese transport Wayles driven ashore on Percidores; upwards of 370 lives 1894-Pingyang captured by the Japanese. TO-MORROW,

Friday, 16th September, 1898. (St. Ediths, V.rglo.) Chipron-Ist of 8th moon of 24th year o KWONP-34 Sun-Rises 5kr: 37min. Sets Smin. Moon-In Equator thr. pm . New Moon Thr. Armin. a m.

High water-Morning 8hr. 52mfm. Atternaon Ohr. 12min. Low , water-Morning Ehr. 85min. Afternoon 8kr. 18min. ANNIVERSARIES. 170"-James II, of England died. 1881-New Convention between Germany and China ratified at Paking.

1884-Public meeting at Shanghal on Franco-Chinese difficulty. 1893-M. H. Becher, mining expert, drowned at Pahang. 1806-600 Armenians killed at Kharput. Com-

modore Holland hoisted his pennant on H.M.S. Victor Rmanuel. 1897—Attempted assessination of President Disa of Mexico.

SHIPPING AND MAIL NEWS.

MAILS DUE : English (Coromandei) to-morrow. Tacoma (Victoria) to-mortow. Indian (Knight Templar) 19th Inst. German (Darmstadt) noth lost. American (Glenfarg) 22nd inst. Australian (Yamaskiro Maru) 23rd inst. American (Belgie) 1st prox. Canadian (Empress of China) 4th prox. THE Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamer

on Tuesday, the 13th last. THE Nippon Yusen Kaisha's steamer Konagawa Mars (Europe Line) leit Singapore for this port to-day, the 15th, and is expected to arrive here on the noth inst.

THE O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Ulysses from. Liverpool, left Singapore for this port yesterday morning, the 14th, and may be expected here on or about Monday, the 19 h inst.

HONORUNG AND WHAMPON DOCK RETURNS istdoro Pons...... at Kawloon Back. Ningchow Atlantic Michael Febsen Oxus Liberal Fatshan Polnts against ... 18 Toyo Maru Falyang Cormopolitan',

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T. JACKSON. Hon. Trea. mrer. Honekong, 13th September 1808. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. THE ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING ONSIGNES of CARGO per Steamable of SHAREHOLDERS in the above 25th Company, S. D., R. A. 'The winners of COMPANY will be held at the COMPANY'S the shield scored (wenty goals to one sgainst in Offices on TUESDAY, the 27 h September, the competition matches. A gold medal was at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Represented to each member of the winning team, port of the General Managers, together with a the shield fund is not sufficiently large to The TPANSFER BOOKS of the Company

> DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, 7th September, 1808. HONGKONG AND WHAM ON DOCK

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. · · THS, I. ROSE, Hongkong, 25th August, 1808, K.u.K. OESTERRPICTISCH-UNGARI-SCHPS CONSULAT.

FalE Oesterreichisch-ungerischen Staats-Angehoerigen werden blemit in Kenniniss geseist, dass anizessiich des erschueiternden Ablebons Shrer Apostollschen Majestaet der Kaiterin und Krenigen Freitag den 16. d. M. um t Uhr Nachmittags in der roemisch-catholischen Kathedrale ein Transgottesdienst

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Hongkong, 12th September, 1898.

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be left in the godowns, where they will be examined on the 15th instant at 2.30 P.M. No Fi e I isure, ce has b en eff-cted. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

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J. S. VAN BUREN. Hongkong, toth September, 1898. . [1-w 2

> COMPANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES,

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No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 17th instant will be subject to rant. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by-SANDER, WIELER & Co.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY,

Hongkong, 12th September, 1898. [1-w 1063.

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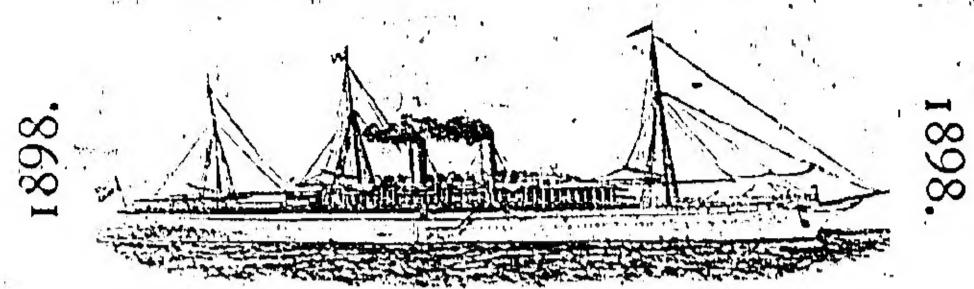
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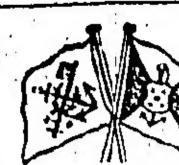
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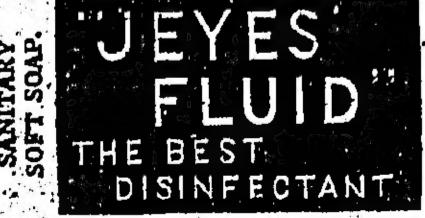
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Company's and connecting Steamers. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. the day previous to salling. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full ; value of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office in Sealed Knyelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL

> Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 7, Praya Central. J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent. Hongkong, 10th September, 1808.

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"SUTLEJ," Captain A. Symons, carrying Her: Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, Sec., on SATURDAY, the 17th instant, at Noon, taking Parsengers and Cargo for the above

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